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INTRODUCTORY NOTE

The *Metis Settlements and First Nations in Alberta: Community Profiles* provide a general overview of the eight Metis Settlements and 48 First Nations in Alberta. Included is information on population, land base, location and community contacts as well as Quick Facts on Metis Settlements and First Nations.

The *Community Profiles* are compiled and published by the Ministry of Aboriginal Relations to support an enhanced awareness of Aboriginal communities in Alberta and to strengthen relationships with Aboriginal people and their communities.

Readers who are interested in learning more about a specific community are encouraged to contact the community directly for more detailed information. Many communities have websites that provide interesting historical information and other background. Where available, these website addresses are included in the profiles.

PLEASE NOTE

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Metis Settlements
Quick Facts

- Alberta is home to the largest Métis population in Canada. There are 85,495 Albertans who identified themselves as Métis in the 2006 Canada census.
- As of 2010, a total of 8,106 people are members of Alberta's Metis Settlements.
- There are 8 Metis Settlements in Alberta. The Metis Settlements cover 512,121 hectares (1.25 million acres) of land.
- Alberta is the only province in Canada with a recognized Métis land base and Métis governments: the 8 Metis Settlements were established by legislation.
- The 8 Metis Settlements are all located in the northern part of the province.
- Each Metis Settlement is governed by an elected five-person Council, which has statutory authority similar to local governments.
- The *Metis Settlements Act* stipulates that a Metis Settlement member must be of Aboriginal ancestry, identify with Métis history and culture, be at least 18 years of age who has lived in Alberta for the previous five years and has been approved for membership by the local Settlement council. A Settlement member must also live on the Settlement (or have an approved leave of absence), and must not be in debt to the Settlement without a repayment agreement.

Metis Settlements in Alberta

Metis Settlement	Population*	Area (hectares)
Buffalo Lake Metis Settlement	1,206	34,707
East Prairie Metis Settlement	906	32,635
Elizabeth Metis Settlement	820	25,641
Fishing Lake Metis Settlement	952	37,815
Gift Lake Metis Settlement	1,115	84,307
Kikino Metis Settlement	1,113	44,743
Paddle Prairie Metis Settlement	1,089	169,909
Peavine Metis Settlement	905	82,364
TOTAL	**8,106**	**512,121**

**Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010*

To view a map of Metis Settlements in Alberta, visit the Metis Settlements General Council (MSGC) website:
www.msgc.ca

Buffalo Lake

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	50 km southwest of Lac La Biche
Contact	P O Box 16, Caslan, Alberta T0A 0R0 Phone: 780-689-2170 Fax: 780-689-2024 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	1206
Land Base	34,707 hectares
Chair	Stan Delorme
Vice-Chair	Marcel Shephard
Councillors	Dean McDonald Horace Patenaude Lana Howse

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)	Honourable Ray Danyluk
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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East Prairie

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	45 km southeast of High Prairie
Contact	P O Box 1289, High Prairie, Alberta T0G 1E0 Phone: 780-523-2594 Fax: 780-523-2777 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	906
Land Base	32,635 hectares
Chair	Gerald Cunningham
Vice-Chair	Brian Supernault
Councillors	Jacob Howse Wade L'Hirondelle Shelly Auger

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Elizabeth

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	35 km south of Cold Lake
Contact	P O Box 420, Stn. Main, Cold Lake, Alberta T9M 1P1 Phone: 780-594-5026 Fax: 780-594-5452 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	820
Land Base	25,641 hectares
Chair	Allan Wells
Vice-Chair	Christopher Desjarlais
Councillors	Sylvia Desjarlais Archie Collins Irene Zimmer

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)	Genia Leskiw
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Fishing Lake

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	55 km south of Cold Lake
Contact	General Delivery, Sputinow, Alberta T0A 3G0 Phone: 780-943-2202 Fax: 780-943-2575 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	952
Land Base	37,815 hectares
Chair	Lorne Dustow
Vice-Chair	Dusty Powder
Councillors	Dalton Gladue Dwayne Laboucan Ryck Chalifoux

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)	Genia Leskiw
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Gift Lake

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	85 km northeast of High Prairie
Contact	Box 60, Gift Lake, Alberta T0G 1B0 Phone: 780-767-3794 Fax: 780-767-3888 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	1,115
Land Base	84,307 hectares
Chair	Hector Lamouche
Vice-Chair	Dave Lamouche
Councillors	Kelly Cunningham Ronnie Anderson Sherry Anderson

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Kikino

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	40 km south of Lac La Biche
Contact	General Delivery, Kikino, Alberta T0A 2B0 Phone: 780-623-7868 Fax: 780-623-7080 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	1,113
Land Base	44,743 hectares
Chair	Floyd Thompson
Vice-Chair	Lee Thom
Councillors	Peter Cardinal Greg Cardinal Cory Cardinal

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)	Honourable Ray Danyluk
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Paddle Prairie

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	75 km south of High Level
Contact	Box 58, Paddle Prairie, Alberta T0H 2W0 Phone: 780-981-2227 Fax: 780-981-3737 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	1,089
Land Base	169,909 hectares
Chair	Alden Armstrong
Vice-Chair	Bob Ghostkeeper
Councillors	Joanne Ducharme Carmen Laboucane Norma Lizotte

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)	Honourable Frank Oberle
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

**Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010*

Peavine

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location	60 km north of High Prairie
Contact	P O Box 238, High Prairie, Alberta T0G 1E0 Phone: 780-523-2557 Fax: 780-523-2626 Website: www.msgc.ca
Population*	905
Land Base	82,364 hectares
Chair	Ken Noskey
Vice-Chair	Sherry Cunningham
Councillors	Kenny Cunningham Layne Gauchier Dennis Cunningham

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

**Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010*

First Nations and First Nations People
Quick Facts

- First Nations people are members of a First Nation living on- or off-reserve. Traditions, protocols, culture and history vary from community to community.
- In Alberta, there are 48* First Nations Chiefs and Councils.
- The new Peerless Trout First Nation was established on May 19, 2010.
- There are 134 reserves covering three Treaty areas in the province: Treaty 6 (central), Treaty 7 (south) and Treaty 8 (north).
- There are 108,318 First Nations people in Alberta. This population accounted for 13 per cent of Canada's total Indian Register population in 2010.
- First Nation population by place of residence: On-reserve and Crown Land (63.1 per cent); Off-Reserve (36.9 per cent).
- The Blood Tribe in southern Alberta has the largest population with 11,074 members while Duncan's First Nation (40 km southwest of Peace River) has the smallest population with 234 members.
- The most commonly spoken First Nation languages in Alberta are Cree, Blackfoot, Chipewyan, Dene and Stoney (Nakoda Sioux).

**Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) counts 45 First Nations rather than the 48 referred to here. INAC includes Whitefish (Goodfish) Lake First Nation under Saddle Lake First Nation; and Chiniki, Bearspaw and Wesley First Nations under Stoney Nakoda Nation.*

Population of First Nations in Alberta[1]

First Nation	TOTAL	Reserve & Crown Land (TOTAL)	Off Reserve
Total Alberta	108,318	68,394	39,924
Alexander First Nation	1,874	1,007	867
Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation	1,708	1,000	708
Athabasca Chipewyan First Nation	924	230	694
Beaver First Nation	877	429	448
Beaver Lake Cree Nation	959	376	583
Bigstone Cree Nation	6,785	2,980	3,805
Blood Tribe	11,074	7,900	3,174
Chipewyan Prairie First Nation	728	354	374
Cold Lake First Nations	2,465	1,284	1,181
Dene Tha' First Nation	2,715	1,953	762
Driftpile First Nation	2,410	895	1,515
Duncan's First Nation	234	135	99
Enoch Cree Nation #440	2,211	1,579	632
Ermineskin Tribe	4,011	3,148	863
Fort McKay First Nation	691	367	324
Fort McMurray #468 First Nation	628	266	362
Frog Lake First Nation	2,750	1,788	962
Heart Lake First Nation	307	197	110
Horse Lake First Nation	953	447	506
Kapawe'no First Nation	329	111	218
Kehewin Cree Nation	1,887	1,117	770
Little Red River Cree Nation	4,585	4,035	550
Loon River Cree First Nation	503	410	93
Louis Bull Tribe	1,989	1,635	354
Lubicon Lake Nation	453	267	186
Mikisew Cree First Nation	2,608	770	1,838
Montana First Nation	939	731	208
O'Chiese First Nation	1,104	761	343

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Population of First Nations in Alberta[1] *(continued)*

First Nation	TOTAL	Reserve & Crown Land (TOTAL)	Off Reserve
Paul First Nation	1,887	1,310	577
Peerless Trout #478 First Nation[2]	723	0	723
Piikani Nation	3,554	2,392	1,162
Saddle Lake First Nation[3]	9,300	6,097	3,203
Samson Cree Nation	7,343	5,838	1,505
Sawridge First Nation	389	46	343
Siksika Nation	6,641	3,860	2,781
Smith's Landing First Nation	322	157	165
Stoney Nakoda Nation[4]	4,920	4,533	387
Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation	2,795	1,404	1,391
Sucker Creek First Nation	2,465	719	1,746
Sunchild First Nation	1,246	846	400
Swan River First Nation	1,136	378	758
Tallcree First Nation	1,108	525	583
Tsuu T'ina Nation	1,816	1,489	327
Whitefish Lake First Nation	2,236	1,416	820
Woodland Cree First Nation	990	743	247
TOTAL POPULATION[5] (48 First Nations)	**108,318**	**68,394**	**39,924**

Footnotes

[1] Source: Indian and Northern Affairs Canada - Indian Register, December 31, 2010

[2] The new Peerless Trout First Nation was established on May 19, 2010. Reserve land has yet to be set aside for the First Nation. This may take 3-5 years.

[3] Includes Whitefish (Goodfish) Lake First Nation

[4] Includes Bearspaw, Chiniki and Wesley First Nations

[5] Does not include Alberta Population General List number

Alexander First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	40 km northwest of Edmonton		
Contact	P O Box 3419, Morinville, Alberta T8R 1S3 Phone: 780-939-5887 Fax: 780-939-6166		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,007	(54%)
	Off-reserve	867	(46%)
	Total	**1,874**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Alexander 134	7,280.5	
	Alexander 134A	2,083.8	
	Alexander 134B	3.4	
	Total	**9,367.7**	
Chief	Allan Paul		
Councillors	Martin Arcand	Kurt Burnstick	
	Henry Arcand	Norman Kootenay	
	Sheldon Arcand	Bernard Paul	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert)	Doug Horner
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

**Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).*

Alexis Nakota
Sioux Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	70 km northwest of Edmonton
Contact	P O Box 7, Glenevis, Alberta T0E 0X0 Phone: 780-967-2225 Fax: 780-967-5484 Website: www.alexisnakotasioux.com
Treaty Area	6
Tribal Affiliation	Stoney
Linguistic Group	Siouan Dakota

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	1,000	(59%)
Off-reserve	708	(41%)
Total	**1,708**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Alexis 133	6,175.20
Alexis Cardinal River 234	4,661.00
Alexis Elk River 233	98.00
Alexis Whitecourt 232	3,544.90
Total	**14,479.10**

Chief Cameron Alexis

Councillors

Darwin Alexis
Gloria Potts
Lonnie Letendre
Roderick Alexis
Henry (Hank) Alexis
Jaclyn Mustus
Erwin Letendre

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Whitecourt-Ste. Anne)	George VanderBurg
Member of Parliament (Yellowhead)	Honourable Rob Merrifield

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Athabasca Chipewyan
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	200 km north of Fort McMurray		
Contact	P O Box 366, Fort Chipewyan, Alberta T0P 1B0 Phone: 780-697-3730 Fax: 780-697-3500 Website: www.afcn.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Chipewyan		
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	230	(25%)
	Off-reserve	694	(75%)
	Total	**924**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Chipewyan 201	20,072.4	
	Chipewyan 201A	22.0	
	Chipewyan 201B	19.4	
	Chipewyan 201C	18.2	
	Chipewyan 201D	4.3	
	Chipewyan 201E	97.1	
	Chipewyan 201F	66.4	
	Chipewyan 201G	905.3	
	Total	**21,205.1**	
Chief	Allan Adam		
Councillors	Lorraine Hoffman	Anthony Ladouceur	
	Gregory Marcel	Monica Voyageur	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)	Guy Boutilier
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Beaver First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	50 km east of High Level		
Contact	P O Box 2700, High Level, Alberta T0H 1Z0 Phone: 780-927-3544 Fax: 780-927-4064		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Beaver		
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Beaver		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	429	(49%)
	Off-reserve	448	(51%)
	Total	**877**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Boyer River 164	4,249.3	
	Child Lake 164A	2,826.0	
	Total	**7,075.3**	
Chief	Henry Kidney		
Councillors	Lorne Bulldog	Barbara Wendt	
	Clarence Fournier	Trevor Mercredi	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)	Honourable Frank Oberle
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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Beaver Lake
Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	105 km northeast of Edmonton		
Contact	P O Box 960, Lac La Biche, Alberta T0A 2C0 Phone: 780-623-4549 Fax: 780-623-4523 Website: www.beaverlakecreenation.com		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	376	(39%)
	Off-reserve	583	(61%)
	Total	**959**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Beaver Lake 131	6,145.3	
	Total	**6,145.3**	
Chief	Alphonse Lameman		
Councillors	Germaine Anderson Henry Gladue Jerry Gladue		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)	Honourable Ray Danyluk
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Bigstone
Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	80 km northeast of Slave Lake		
Contact	P O Box 960, Wabasca, Alberta T0G 2K0 Phone: 780-891-3836 Fax: 780-891-3942 Website: www.bigstone.ca		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	2,980	(44%)
	Off-reserve	3,805	(56%)
	Total	**6,785**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Jean Baptiste Gambler 183	198.7	
	Wabasca 166	8,452.4	
	Wabasca 166A	682.1	
	Wabasca 166B	2,413.4	
	Wabasca 166C	3,502.6	
	Wabasca 166D	5,817.4	
	Total	**21,066.6**	
Chief	Gordon Auger		
Councillors	Ida Alook	Art Bigstone	
	Clayton Auger	Clara Moberly	
	Mike Beaver	Silas Yellowknee	

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly	
Athabasca-Redwater	Jeff Johnson for IR 183
Lesser Slave Lake	Pearl Calahasen for IRs 166-166D
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Blood Tribe

Profile: First Nation

Location	40 km southwest of Lethbridge		
Contact	P O Box 60, Stand Off, Alberta T0L 1Y0 Phone: 403-737-3753 Fax: 403-737-2336 Website: www.bloodtribe.org		
Treaty Area	7		
Tribal Affiliation	Blackfoot		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Blackfoot		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	7,900	(72%)
	Off-reserve	3,174	(28%)
	Total	**11,074**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Blood 148	134,292.9	
	Blood 148A	1,971.7	
	Total	**136,264.6**	
Chief	Charles Weaselhead		
Councillors	Dexter Bruised Head	James Gladstone	
	Andrew Bull Calf	Kirby Many Fingers	
	Joshua Curly Rider	Ira Tail Feathers	
	Dolores Day Chief	Ronnie Thunder Chief	
	Sheldon Day Chief	Norbert Weaselhead	
	Rodney First Rider	Franklyn White Quills	

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly	
Livingston-Macleod	Evan Berger for IR 148
Cardston Taber-Warner	Broyce Jacobs for IR 148A
Member of Parliament (Macleod)	Honourable Ted Menzies

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Chipewyan Prairie
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	97 km southwest of Fort McMurray		
Contact	General Delivery, Chard, Alberta T0P 1G0 Phone: 780-559-2259 Fax: 780-559-2213 Website: www.chipewyan.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Chipewyan		
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Chipewyan, Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	354	(49%)
	Off-reserve	374	(51%)
	Total	**728**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Janvier 194	2,486.7	
	Cowper Lake 194A	143.0	
	Winefred Lake 194B	450.0	
	Total	**3,079.7**	
Chief	Vern Janvier		
Councillors	Jules Nokohoo Stuart Janvier Sherry Black		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)	Guy Boutilier
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Cold Lake
First Nations

Profile: First Nation

Location	26 km east of Bonnyville
Contact	P O Box 1769, Cold Lake, Alberta T9M 1P4 Phone: 780-594-7183 Fax: 780-594-3577 Website: www.clfns.com
Treaty Area	6
Tribal Affiliation	Chipewyan
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	1,284	(52%)
Off-reserve	1,181	(48%)
Total	**2,465**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Cold Lake 149	14,528.1
Cold Lake 149A	71.6
Cold Lake 149B	4,134.0
Cold Lake 149C	2,023.5
Total	**20,757.2**

Chief	Cecil Janvier
Councillors	Cameron Janvier Kyle Janvier David Janvier Bernice Marshall Roger Marten Judy Nest

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)	Genia Leskiw
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Dene Tha' First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location

100 km northwest of High Level (I.R. 209, 210, 211)
140 km northwest of High Level (I.R. 213, 214)
70 km northwest of High Level (I.R. 212)
10 km east of High Level (I.R. 207)

Contact

P O Box 120, Chateh, Alberta T0H 0S0

Phone: 780-321-3775 Fax: 780-321-3886
Website: www.denetha.com

Treaty Area

8

Tribal Affiliation

Slavey

Linguistic Group

Athapaskan Slave

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	1,953	(72%)
Off-reserve	762	(28%)
Total	**2,715**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Amber River 211	2,332.3
Bistcho Lake 213	354.1
Bushe River 207	11,167.5
Hay Lake 209	12,355.3
Jackfish Point 214	103.6
Upper Hay River 212	1,418.0
Zama Lake 210	2,307.2
Total	**30,038.0**

Chief

James Ahnassay

Councillors

Bernard Beaulieu	Andrea Denechoan
Kenneth Didzena	Gerry Pastion
Delbert Salopree	Avalon Seniantha
Gabriel Didzena	Thomas Talley

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)	Honourable Frank Oberle
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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Driftpile First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	66 km west of Slave Lake		
Contact	Box 30, Driftpile, Alberta T0G 0V0 Phone: 780-355-3868 Fax: 780-355-3650 Website: www.driftpilecreenation.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	895	(37%)
	Off-reserve	1,515	(63%)
	Total	**2,410**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Driftpile River 150	6,354.8	
	Total	**6,354.8**	
Chief	Rose Laboucan		
Councillors	Devon Bellerose	James (Jimmy) Giroux	
	Tommy Bellerose	Terry Giroux	
	Rodney Chalifoux	Stanley Isadore	
	Dwayne Laboucan		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Duncan's First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	39 km southwest of Peace River (IR 151A) 40 km southeast of Peace River (IR 151K)		
Contact	P O Box 148, Brownvale, Alberta T0H 0L0 Phone: 780-597-3777 Fax: 780-597-3920		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	135	(58%)
	Off-reserve	99	(42%)
	Total	**234**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Duncan's 151A	2,036.8	
	William McKenzie 151K	389.3	
	Total	**2,426.1**	
Chief	Donald Testawich		
Councillors	Gloria Donna Testawich Virginia Martha Gladue		

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly	
Dunvegan-Central Peace	Honourable Hector Goudreau for IR 151A
Peace River	Honourable Frank Oberle for IR 151K
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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Enoch Cree Nation #440

Profile: First Nation

Location	13 km southwest of Edmonton		
Contact	P O Box 29, Enoch, Alberta T7X 3Y3 Phone: 780-470-4505 Fax: 780-470-3380 Website: www.enochecdev.com		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,579	(71%)
	Off-reserve	632	(29%)
	Total	**2,211**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Stony Plain 135	5,306.2	
	Stony Plain 135A	2.0	
	Total	**5308.2**	
Chief	Harry Sharphead		
Councillors	Pearl Cardinal	Wayne Morin	
	Cody Hodgson	Clark Peacock	
	Kelly Morin	Diane Stamp	
	Lorne Morin	Nola Wanuch	
	Shane Morin		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Stony Plain)	Fred Lindsay
Member of Parliament (Edmonton-Spruce Grove)	Honourable Rona Ambrose

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Ermineskin Tribe

Profile: First Nation

Location	13 km south of Wetaskiwin		
Contact	P O Box 219, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0 Phone: 780-585-3741 Fax: 780-585-2550 Website: www.creegallery.com		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	3,148	(78%)
	Off-reserve	836	(22%)
	Total	**4,011**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Ermineskin 138	10,295.8	
	Pigeon Lake 138A	1,921.1	
	(Common reserve shared by Hobbema bands)		
Chief	Gerald (Gerry) Ermineskin		
Councillors	Richard Coyote	Craig Makinaw	
	Ken Cutarm	Daniel Makinaw	
	Brian Lee	Gordon Minde	
	Richard Lightning	Bruce Lee	

Other Elected Representatives:

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Wetaskiwin-Camrose)	Honourable Verlyn Olson
Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)	Blaine Calkins

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Fort McKay
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	50 km northwest of Fort McMurray (IR 174) 105 km northwest of Fort McMurray (IR 174A, 174B)		
Contact	P O Box 5360, Fort McMurray, Alberta T9H 3G4 Phone: 780-828-4220 Fax: 780-828-4680 Website: www.fortmckay.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Chipewyan		
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	367	(53%)
	Off-reserve	324	(47%)
	Total	**691**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Fort McKay 174	3,001.3	
	Namur River 174A	4,614.9	
	Namur Lake 174B	3,122.2	
	Fort McKay 174C	3,381.4	
	Fort McKay 174D	660.8	
	Total	**14,780.6**	
Chief	Jim Boucher		
Councillors	David Boucher	Cecilia Fitzpatrick	
	Michael Orr	Raymond Powder	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)	Guy Boutilier
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Fort McMurray #468
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	35 km southeast of Fort McMurray		
Contact	P O Box 6130, Fort McMurray, Alberta T9H 4W1 Phone: 780-334-2293 Fax: 780-334-2457 Website: www.atc97.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree and Athapaskan Chipewyan		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	266	(42%)
	Off-reserve	362	(58%)
	Total	**628**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Clearwater 175	915.4	
	Gregoire Lake 176	2,231.9	
	Gregoire Lake 176A	67.4	
	Gregoire Lake 176B	17.0	
	Total	**3,231.7**	
Chief	Albert Cree		
Councillors	Nancy Ann Cree Bernadette Dumais		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)	Guy Boutilier
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Frog Lake
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	32 km southeast of Bonnyville		
Contact	General Delivery, Frog Lake, Alberta T0A 1M0 Phone: 780-943-3737 Fax: 780-943-3966		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,788	(65%)
	Off-reserve	962	(35%)
	Total	**2,750**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Unipouheos 121	8,506.3	
	Puskiakiwenin 122	10,339.1	
	Total	**18,845.4**	
Chief	Clifford Stanley		
Councillors	Clifford Cross	Terry Moyah	
	Keith Faithful	Collin Quinney	
	Wayne Faithful		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)	Genia Leskiw
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Heart Lake
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	45 km northeast of Lac La Biche		
Contact	P O Box 447, Lac La Biche, Alberta T0A 2C0 Phone: 780-623-2130 Fax: 780-623-3505		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	197	(64%)
	Off-reserve	110	(36%)
	Total	**307**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Heart Lake 167	4,496.2	
	Heart Lake 167A	8.3	
	Total	**4,504.5**	
Chief	Morris Monias		
Councillors	Caddie Blood Sheila Monias		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)	Honourable Ray Danyluk
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Horse Lake
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	60 km northwest of Grande Prairie (IR 152B) 150 km north of Grande Prairie (IR 152C)
Contact	P O Box 303, Hythe, Alberta T0H 2C0 Phone: 780-356-2248 Fax: 780-356-3666 Website: www.horselakefirstnation.com
Treaty Area	8
Tribal Affiliation	Beaver
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Beaver

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	447	(47%)
Off-reserve	506	(53%)
Total	**953**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Clear Hills 152C	1,547.1
Horse Lakes 152B	1,552.0
Total	**3,099.1**

Chief Rick Horseman

Councillors

Brian Horseman	Michael Horseman
Eugene Horseman	Todd (Allan) Horseman

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Grande Prairie-Wapiti	Wayne Drysdale for IR 152B
Dunvegan-Central Peace	Honourable Hector Goudreau for IR 152C

Member of Parliament (Peace River) Chris Warkentin

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Kapawe'no
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	30 km northeast of High Prairie		
Contact	Box 10, Grouard, Alberta T0G 1C0 Phone: 780-751-3800 Fax: 780-751-3864 Website: www.kapaweno.homestead.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	111	(34%)
	Off-reserve	218	(66%)
	Total	**329**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Kapawe'no 150B	29.6	
	Kapawe'no 150C	21.0	
	Kapawe'no 150D	390.1	
	Kapawe'no 229	129.0	
	Kapawe'no 230	846.0	
	Kapawe'no 231	147.0	
	Total	**1,562.7**	
Chief	Frank Thomas Halcrow		
Councillors	Peter Chalifoux Sydney Halcrow		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Kehewin
Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	20 km south of Bonnyville		
Contact	Box 220, Kehewin, Alberta T0A 1C0 Phone: 780-826-3333 Fax: 780-826-2355		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,117	(59%)
	Off-reserve	770	(41%)
	Total	**1,887**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Kehewin 123	8,225	
	Total	**8,225**	
Chief	Ernest Gadwa		
Councillors	Eugene Cardinal	William John	
	Eric Gadwa	Lelian John	
	Gordon Gadwa	Rodney John	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)	Genia Leskiw
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Little Red River
Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	48 km east of Fort Vermilion (IR 215) 90 km east of Fort Vermilion (IR 162)
Contact	P O Box 30, John D'Or Prairie, Alberta T0H 3X0 Phone: 780-759-3912 Fax: 780-759-3780 Website: www.lrrcn.ab.ca
Treaty Area	8
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	4,035	(88%)
Off-reserve	550	(12%)
Total	**4,585**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Fox Lake 162	10,438.3
John D'Or Prairie 215	14,034.0
Total	**24,472.3**

Chief Gus Loonskin

Councillors

Floyd Auger	Daniel Nanooch
Delmer D'Or	Lester Nanooch
Henry Grandejambe	Michael Nanooch
Arthur Laboucan	Alfred Seeseequon
John M. Laboucan	Lorne Tallcree

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)	Honourable Frank Oberle
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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Loon River
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	Loon Lake		
Contact	P O Box 189, Red Earth Creek, Alberta T0G 1X0 Phone: 780-649-3883 Fax: 780-649-3873		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	410	(82%)
	Off-reserve	93	(18%)
	Total	**503**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Loon Lake 235	6,902.3	
	Loon Prairie 237	259.6	
	Swampy Lake 236	14,744.4	
	Total	**21,906.3**	
Chief	Arthur Noskey		
Councillors	Bernadette Nicholson	Andrew Noskey	
	Mable Noskiye	Ivan Sawan	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Louis Bull Tribe

Profile: First Nation

Location	16 km southwest of Wetaskiwin		
Contact	P O Box 130, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0 Phone: 780-585-3978 Fax: 780-585-3799 Website: www.louisbulltribe.ca		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,635	(82%)
	Off-reserve	354	(18%)
	Total	**1,989**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Louis Bull 138B	3,388.1	
	Total	**3,388.1**	
Chief	Rusty Threefingers		
Councillors	Bert Bull	Trevor Larocque	
	Irvin Bull	Henry Raine	
	Larry Bull	Cyrus Threefingers	
	Kelsey Crane	Barb Larocque	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Drayton Valley-Calmar)	Diana McQueen
Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)	Blaine Calkins

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Lubicon Lake Nation

Profile: First Nation

Contact	P O Box 6731, Peace River, Alberta T8S 1S5 Phone: 780-629-3945 Fax: 780-629-3939 Website: lubiconlakenation.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	267	(59%)
	Off-reserve	186	(41%)
	Total	**453**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	*Not Applicable*		
Chief	Unconfirmed**		
Councillors	Unconfirmed**		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)	Chris Warkentin

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**Currently, there are no Chief and Council recognized by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).*

Mikisew Cree
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	Reserves are located adjacent to and north of Fort Chipewyan
Contact	Allison Bay Indian Reserve #219 P O Box 90, Fort Chipewyan, Alberta T0P 1B0 Phone: 780-697-3740 Fax: 780-697-3826 Website: www.mikisew.org
Treaty Area	8
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree
Linguistic Group	Cree

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	770	(30%)
Off-reserve	1,838	(70%)
Total	**2,608**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Old Fort 217	1,509.0
Dog Head 218	29.7
Allison Bay 219	1,861.0
Devil's Gate 220	819.1
Sandy Point 221	204.0
Peace Point 222	518.0
Colin Lake 223	36.4
Cornwall Lake 224	69.3
Charles Lake 225	64.5
Total	**5,111.0**

Chief Roxanne Marcel

Councillors

Steve Courtoreille	Terry Marten
Willie Courtoreille	Philip Tourangeau
Russell Kaskamin	Juanita Whitehead

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)	Guy Boutilier
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Montana First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	24 km south of Wetaskiwin		
Contact	P O Box 70, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0 Phone: 780-585-3744 Fax: 780-585-3264 Website: www.montanafirstnation.com		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	731	(78%)
	Off-reserve	208	(22%)
	Total	**939**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Montana 139	2,824.8	
	Total	**2,824.8**	
Chief	Carolyn Buffalo		
Councillors	Garry Louis	Bradley Rabbit	
	Rema Rabbit	Leonard Standingontheroad	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Wetaskiwin-Camrose)	Honourable Verlyn Olson
Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)	Blaine Calkins

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O'Chiese First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	50 km northwest of Rocky Mountain House (IR 203) 20 km southwest of Rocky Mountain House (IR 203A)
Contact	P O Box 1570 Rocky Mountain House, Alberta T4T 1B2 Phone: 403-989-3943 Fax: 403-989-3795 Website: www.ochiese.com
Treaty Area	6
Tribal Affiliation	Ojibwa
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Ojibwa

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	761	(69%)
Off-reserve	343	(31%)
Total	**1,104**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

O'Chiese 203	14,131.9
O'Chiese Cemetery 203A	0.1
Total	**14,132.0**

Chief Darren Whitford

Councillors

Douglas Beaverbones	Cleon Strawberry
Martin Ironbow	Robert Strawberry
Barry Saulteaux	Cedric Whitford

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Rocky Mountain House)	Ty Lund
Member of Parliament (Yellowhead)	Honourable Rob Merrifield

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Paul First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	87 km west of Edmonton (IR 133A, 133B) 100 km southwest of Edmonton (IR 133C)
Contact	P O Box 89, Duffield, Alberta T0E 0N0 Phone: 780-892-2691 Fax: 780-892-3402 Website: www.paulfirstnation.com
Treaty Area	6
Tribal Affiliation	Stoney
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree and Siouan Dakota

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	1,310	(69%)
Off-reserve	577	(31%)
Total	**1,887**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Wabamun 133A	6,116.9
Wabamun 133B	178.5
Buck Lake 133C	1,035.2
Total	**7,330.6**

Chief	Casey Bird
Councillors	Dennis Bird Dwayne House Myrna Rabbit-Bearhead Darren Rain Jason Rain

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Stony Plain	Fred Lindsay for IRs133A-B
Drayton Valley-Calmar	Diana McQueen for IR 133C

Members of Parliament

Yellowhead	Honourable Rob Merrifield for IRs 133A-B
Wetaskiwin	Blaine Calkins for IR 133C

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Peerless Trout #478
First Nation[1]

Location	Peerless Lake is located 240 km north of the Town of Slave Lake. Trout Lake is located about 250 km north of Lesser Slave Lake.
Contact	P O Box 1128, Slave Lake, Alberta T0G 2A0 Phone: 780-869-2331 Fax: 780-869-2849
Treaty Area	8
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Ojibwa
Population[2]	723
Land Base By Reserve[3]	Peerless Lake has a land area of approximately 11.1 square kilometres. Trout Lake has a land area of approximately 5.3 square kilometres.
Chief	James Alook
Councillors	Sharon Laboucan Emile Houle William Houle Gary Nosklyed

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Athabasca-Redwater)	Jeff Johnson
Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen

[1] The new Peerless Trout First Nation was created on May 19, 2010.
[2] Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC). Please see Footnote 3.
[3] Reserve lands have yet to be set aside for the First Nation. This process may take 3-5 years.

Piikani Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	60 km west of Lethbridge		
Contact	P O Box 70, Brocket, Alberta T0K 0H0 Phone: 403-965-3940 Fax: 403-965-2214		
Treaty Area	7		
Tribal Affiliation	Blackfoot		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Blackfoot		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	2,392	(67%)
	Off-reserve	1,162	(33%)
	Total	**3,554**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Peigan 147	42,699.2	
	Peigan 147B	2,978.6	
	Total	**45,677.8**	

Chief Gayle Strikes With A Gun

Councillors

Erwin Bastien	Alvin Prairie Chicken
Doane Crowshoe	Kevin Provost
Patricia English	Charels Red Young Man
Herman Many Guns	Lance Yellow Face
Jordon No Chief	Charles Yellow Face
Adam North Peigan	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Livingston-Macleod)	Evan Berger
Member of Parliament (Macleod)	Honourable Ted Menzies

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Saddle Lake
First Nation

Saddle Lake Indian Reserve 125

Contact	P O Box 100, Saddle Lake, Alberta T0A 3T0 Phone: 780-726-3829 Fax: 780-726-3788 Toll Free: 1-800-396-2167 Website: www.saddlelake.ca
Chief	Eddy Makokis
Councillors	Carl Quinn — Donald Crane Jason Whiskeyjack — John Shirt Leo McGilvery — Leonard Jackson Patrick Shirt — Sam Cardinal

Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve 128 (Whitefish (Goodfish) Lake First Nation)

Location	70 km southwest of Bonnyville		
Contact	P O Box 271, Goodfish Lake, Alberta T0A 1R0 Phone: 780-636-7000 Fax: 780-636-3534 Website: www.saddlelake.ca		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	6,097	(66%)
	Off-reserve	3,203	(34%)
	Total	**9,300**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Saddle Lake 125	25,780.6	
	Whitefish Lake 128	4,542.7	
	Total	**30,323.3**	
Chief	Eddy Makokis		
Councillors	Benjamin Houle — Sandy Jackson Tom Houle		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)	Honourable Ray Danyluk
Member of Parliament (Westlock-St.Paul)	Brian Storseth

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Samson Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	20 km south of Wetaskiwin		
Contact	P O Box 159, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0 Phone: 780-421-4926 Fax: 780-585-2700 Toll Free: 1-800-661-2579 Website: www.samsoncree.com		
Treaty Area	6		
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	5,838	(80%)
	Off-reserve	1,505	(20%)
	Total	**7,343**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Samson 137	13,552.0	
	Samson 137A	134.4	
	Total	**13,686.4**	
Chief	Marvin Yellowbird		
Councillors	Florence Buffalo	Larron Northwest	
	Kurt Buffalo	Claude Saddleback Sr.	
	Cecil Crier	Lawrence Saddleback	
	Leiha Crier	Rose Saddleback	
	Emil Cutknife	Darwin Soosay	
	Lena Cutknife	Shawn Yellowbird	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Wetaskiwin-Camrose)	Honourable Verlyn Olson
Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)	Blaine Calkins

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Sawridge First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	250 km north of Edmonton		
Contact	P O Box 326, Slave Lake, Alberta T0G 2A0 Phone: 780-849-4311 Fax: 780-849-3446		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	46	(12%)
	Off-reserve	343	(88%)
	Total	**389**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Sawridge 150G	906.5	
	Sawridge 150H	1,236.6	
	Total	**2,143.3**	
Chief	Roland Twinn		
Councillors	Justin Twin Winona Twin		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Siksika Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	110 km east of Calgary		
Contact	P O Box 1100, Siksika, Alberta T0J 3W0 Phone: 403-264-7250 Fax: 403-734-5110 Website: www.siksikanation.com		
Treaty Area	7		
Tribal Affiliation	Blackfoot		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Blackfoot		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	3,860	(58%)
	Off-reserve	2,781	(42%)
	Total	**6,641**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Siksika 146	71,087.5	
	Total	**71,087.5**	
Chief	Fred Rabbit Carrier		
Councillors	Adrian Stimson Sr.,	Carlon Big Snake	
	Clarence Wolf Leg	Eldon Weasel Child	
	Guy Medicine Shield	Hector Winnipeg	
	Janice Doore	Jason Charles Doore	
	Kendall Panther Bone	Laverna McMaster	
	Reynold Medicine Traveller	Herman Yellow Old Woman	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Little Bow)	Barry McFarland
Member of Parliament (Macleod)	Honourable Ted Menzies

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Smith's Landing
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	Fort Fitzgerald (northeastern tip of Alberta)		
Contact	P O Box 1470, Fort Smith, NT X0E 0P0 Phone: 867-872-4950 Fax: 867-872-5154		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Chipewyan		
Linguistic Group	Chipewyan		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	157	(49%)
	Off-reserve	165	(51%)
	Total	**322**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Tthe Jere Ghaili 196B	401.1	
	Li Deze 196C	729.4	
	K'i Tue 196D	484.3	
	Hokedhe Tue 196E	440.4	
	Tsu K'adhe Tue 196F	231.6	
	Tsu Tue 196G	42.7	
	Thebathi 196	6,310.5	
	Thabacha Nare 196A	397.2	
	Total	**9,037.2**	
Chief	Cheyeanne Paulette		
Councillors	Peter Paulette	Fred Daniels	
	Gabe Sepp	John Tourangeau	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)	Guy Boutilier
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Stoney Nakoda Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	80 km west of Calgary; IR 216 is 50 km south of Calgary
Contact	P O Box 40, Morley, Alberta T0L 1N0 Phone: 403-881-3770 Fax: 403-881-2676 Website: www.stoneynation.ca
Treaty Area	7
Tribal Affiliation	Stoney
Linguistic Group	Siouan Dakota, Algonquian Cree

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	4,533	(92%)
Off-reserve	387	(8%)
Total	**4,920**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Big Horn 144A	2,127.4
Eden Valley 216	1,690.8
Stoney 142-143-144	39,264.5
Stoney 142B	5,692.4
Total	**48,775.1**

Bearspaw First Nation

Chief	David Bearspaw	
Councillors	Roderick Lefthand	Trevor Wesley
	Patrick Twoyoungman	Gordon Wildman

Chiniki First Nation

Chief	Bruce Labelle	
Councillors	Frank Chiniki	Charles Mark
	Homer Holloway	Clarence Wesley

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Stony Nakoda
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Wesley First Nation

Chief	Ernest Wesley	
Councillors	Charlie Abraham	Watson Kaquitts
	Tater House	Hank Snow

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly	
Rocky Mountain House	Ty Lund for IR 144A
Highwood	George Groeneveld for IR 216
Banff-Cochrane	Janis Tarchuk for IRs 142-144 &142B
Members of Parliament	
Wild Rose	Blake Richards for IRs 142-144 & 144A
Macleod	Honourable Ted Menzies for IR 216

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Sturgeon Lake
Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	20 km west of Valleyview		
Contact	P O Box 757, Valleyview, Alberta T0H 3N0 Phone: 780-524-3307 Fax: 780-524-2711		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,404	(50%)
	Off-reserve	1,391	(50%)
	Total	**2,795**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Sturgeon Lake 154	14,814.3	
	Sturgeon Lake 154A	753.1	
	Sturgeon Lake 154B	97.1	
	Total	**15,664.5**	
Chief	Richard Kappo		
Councillors	Viola Goodswimmer	Curtis Mitchell	
	Walter Goodswimmer	Tammy Settee	
	Darwin Hamelin	Louis Napio	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Grande Prairie-Smoky)	Honourable Mel Knight
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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Sucker Creek
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	22 km east of High Prairie		
Contact	P O Box 65, Enilda, Alberta T0G 0W0 Phone: 780-523-4426 Fax: 780-523-3111		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Creew		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	719	(29%)
	Off-reserve	1,746	(71%)
	Total	**2,465**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Sucker Creek 150A	5,987.0	
	Total	**5,987.0**	
Chief	Jim Badger		
Councillors	Lavern Willier	George Prince	
	Thomas Willier	Matthew Willier	
	David Prince	Terry Calliou	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Sunchild First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	40 km northwest of Rocky Mountain House
Contact	P O Box 747 Rocky Mountain House, Alberta T4T 1A5 Phone: 403-989-3740 Fax: 403-989-2533
Treaty Area	6
Tribal Affiliation	Plains Cree
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	846	(68%)
Off-reserve	400	(32%)
Total	**1,246**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Sunchild 202	5,218.1
Total	**5,218.1**

Chief James Frencheater

Councillors

Lisa Day Chief
Richard Day Chief
Edwin Frencheater
Jonathan Frencheater
Melvin Goodrunning

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Rocky Mountain House)	Ty Lund
Member of Parliament (Yellowhead)	Honourable Rob Merrifield

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Swan River
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	50 km west of Slave Lake		
Contact	P O Box 270, Kinuso, Alberta T0G 1K0 Phone: 780-775-3536 Fax: 780-775-3796		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	378	(33%)
	Off-reserve	758	(67%)
	Total	**1,136**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Swan River 150E	4,271.1	
	Assineau River 150F	71.6	
	Total	**4,342.7**	
Chief	Leon Chalifoux		
Councillors	Buddy Giroux Preston Sound Darryl Sound		

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Tallcree First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	50 km southeast of Fort Vermilion (IR 173, 173A) 20 km east of Fort Vermilion (IR 163)		
Contact	P O Box 100, Fort Vermilion, Alberta T0H 1N0 Phone: 780-927-3727 Fax: 780-927-4375		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	525	(47%)
	Off-reserve	583	(53%)
	Total	**1,108**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Beaver Ranch 163	841.7	
	Beaver Ranch 163A	240.0	
	Beaver Ranch 163B	226.0	
	Fort Vermilion 173B	49.7	
	Tallcree 173	4,031.5	
	Tallcree 173A	2,723.4	
	Wadlin Lake 173C	48.0	
	Total	**8,160.3**	
Chief	Rupert Meneen		
Councillors	Ronnie Loonskin	Terence Meneen	
	George Meneen	Donna Mercredi	

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly	
Lesser Slave Lake	Pearl Calahasen for IRs 173, 173A & 173C
Peace River	Honourable Frank Oberle for IRs 163, 163A-B & 173B
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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Tsuu T'ina Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	13 km southwest of Calgary
Contact	Ste 200, 9911 Chiila Boulevard Tsuu T'ina, Alberta T2W 6H6 Phone: 403-281-4455 Fax: 403-251-6061 Website: www.tsuutina.ca
Treaty Area	7
Tribal Affiliation	Sarcee
Linguistic Group	Athapaskan Sarcee

Population*

On-reserve and Crown Land	1,489	(82%)
Off-reserve	327	(18%)
Total	**1,816**	

Land Base By Reserve (hectares)

Tsuu T'ina 145	27,685.3
Total	**27,685.3**

Chief Sandford C. Big Plume

Councillors

Andy Onespot	Brent Dodginghorse
Dean Manywounds	Ellery Starlight
Gilbert Crowchild	Ivan Eagletail
Jerry Simon	Leon Littlelight
Vincent Crowchild Sr.	Darryl Whitney
Lyle Dodginghorse	Paul Whitney

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Foothills-Rocky View)	Ted Morton
Member of Parliament (Macleod)	Honourable Ted Menzies

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Whitefish Lake First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	80 km northeast of High Prairie		
Contact	General Delivery, Atikameg, Alberta T0G 0C0 Phone: 780-767-3914 Fax: 780-767-3922 Website: www.wfl128.com		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,416	(63%)
	Off-reserve	820	(37%)
	Total	**2,236**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Utikoomak Lake 155	6,693.2	
	Utikoomak Lake 155A	1,041.0	
	Utikoomak Lake 155B	502.6	
	Total	**8,236.8**	
Chief	Eddie Tallman		
Councillors	Eddie Laboucan	James Nahachick	
	Richard Laboucan	Ivan Auger	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)	Brian Jean

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Woodland Cree
First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location	Cadotte Lake (79 km east of Peace River)		
Contact	General Delivery, Cadotte Lake, Alberta T0H 0N0 Phone: 780-629-3803 Fax: 780-629-3898 Toll-free: 1-800-465-8029		
Treaty Area	8		
Tribal Affiliation	Woodland Cree		
Linguistic Group	Algonquian Cree		
Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	743	(75%)
	Off-reserve	247	(25%)
	Total	**990**	
Land Base By Reserve (hectares)	Woodland Cree 226	11,660.0	
	Woodland Cree 227	660.0	
	Woodland Cree 228	3,786.0	
	Total	**16,106.0**	
Chief	William Whitehead		
Councillors	Kenny Auger	Edna Auger-Boucher	
	Kathleen Laboucan	Frank Whitehead	

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)	Pearl Calahasen
Member of Parliament (Peace River)	Chris Warkentin

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